

NO BAD TURN FOR VANDERBILT.

The Physician's Bulletin Reports Him as Still Progressing Favorably and His Friends Appear Well Satisfied.

ALFRED G. LEAVES HIS CARD.

The Ill Man's Wife is Unremitting in Her Attendance on Him and Fears for Her Health Were Entertained.

The following bulletin concerning the condition of Cornelius Vanderbilt was issued to-day:

Mr. Vanderbilt has had another comfortable night and is still progressing satisfactorily. No complications have occurred.

AUSTIN PLINT, JR., Dr. Plint would not announce the temperature of his patient, but it was inferred from his conversation that it remained unchanged. The physician did not remain long at the Vanderbilt residence, and his demeanor indicated that he was well satisfied with the sick man's condition.

It is learned that Mrs. Vanderbilt, from the beginning of her husband's illness, has been his devoted nurse and attendant. So constant were her ministrations that it was feared two days ago that she would give way under the strain.

The continued favorable symptoms have allowed her to seek rest and to cast off some of the worry that had oppressed her, so that she has recovered her normal strength and health. She continues to have charge of all arrangements for the comfort of her husband.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt, by the terms of his father's will the head of the family, called at the residence of Cornelius Vanderbilt yesterday and left his card. He did not get out of his carriage. This is the first communication between the brothers save by the medium of attorneys or personal friends since the marriage of Cornelius to Grace Wilson.

VANDERBILT AS A SANTA CLAUS.

William K., Jr., and His Wife Are Going to Give Presents to the Pupils of Some of the Long Island Schools.

PIPE ORGAN TO A CHURCH.

Not to be outdone by the members of the Westchester set of millionaires who are to act as Santa Clauses, William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and the wife of the latter propose to see that the children of Hyde Park public school and of Little Neck public school, in Long Island, get Christmas presents.

Like their Westchester brother millionaires, Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt will be the Kris Kringle of Long Island. Already Mrs. Vanderbilt has given to the Catholic Church at Hyde Park a handsome pipe organ, and the entire church is being renovated at the expense of herself and her husband.

A week from to-morrow night Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt will be present in the German Presbyterian Church at Hyde Park and will there make presents to the public school children, who have already arranged an appropriate programme to be given prior to and after the reception of their gifts.

If it came with a question now of voting away Lake Success to Mr. Vanderbilt by the citizens of North Hempstead it is needless to say that the pupils of the school at Hyde Park would all go electioneering, and with their assistance the lake would be secured by them.

In a letter sent by Mr. Vanderbilt to Miss Brett, Principal of the Little Neck public school, the millionaire asked if no offense would be taken if he and his wife were to make Christmas presents to the school children, and the school principal made answer that such presents would be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt at once signified their intentions of playing the part of Santa Claus, and, with County Judge Harrison B. Moore, they will be on hand, and Bloodgood Cutler, Long Island's Farmer Post, will allow his muse to help along with the Vanderbilts and their presents to make the school children of Little Neck happy.

T. B. REED LEFT A FORTUNE.

Gold Friend Before He Died that Family Was Well Provided For.

The story is told in Wall Street to-day that Thomas B. Reed, former Speaker of the House of Representatives, left about \$200,000, made in the last two years, to his wife.

A man with whom he was acquainted in Wall Street met the former Speaker about two weeks before he died, and Mr. Reed said to him then:

"Now I am at last happy. I can die and leave my family well provided for. I can soon have an income independent of my law practice and can enjoy some leisure."

Mr. Reed enjoyed the friendship of H. H. Rogers, and was able to make investments in the stock market which are said to have netted him \$200,000 in the last two years. It is said that he made most of this from American Locomotive and other new stocks.

It was known that when he retired from Congress he was a poor man, having only what he had saved from his salary. Since then, however, he had been receiving single fees in law cases in excess of a year's salary as a Congressman. His income as a practitioner amounted to fully \$50,000 a year.

MRS. ALLEN TO WED CLUBMAN?

George Livingston, Seen Often with Mistress of Rancocas, Starts Story at Jobstown of Their Engagement.

HE IS A CITY OFFICIAL.

Commissioner of Public Works Denies the Report and Pierre Lorillard's Friend Refuses to Talk on the Subject.

Out of a close companionship, which has existed for nearly a year, has grown a report that George Livingston, Commissioner of Public Works for the Borough of Manhattan, and Lillian Barnes Allen, mistress of Rancocas by the will of Pierre Lorillard, were to marry. Mr. Livingston makes emphatic denial. "There could be no truth in such a story," he says. Mrs. Allen declines to discuss the matter.

Residents at Rancocas and residents of Jobstown, N. J., near by, have their own view of the matter and, not having had the advantage up to now of hearing of Mr. Livingston's denial, they are all of one mind and in their opinion Mr. Livingston has been, to outward appearance at least, an ardent suitor.

One of the negro servants at Rancocas, who has a position of some authority, puts the matter this way:

"I have heard as how Mistah Livingston ast her to hab him, but from what I kin learn she glib him no civilised answer. I know she calls him 'George' and he has a powerful lot to say about dis place—more than Mistah Pierre Lorillard had."

The history of Lillian Barnes Allen, who was Mr. Lorillard's constant companion during the latter part of his life, has been told many times within the last two years. Mr. Livingston is also quite well known. He was a School Commissioner before he became head of the Department of Public Works. Before that he was in the silk business. He is forty-five years old and his manners are those of a gentleman of the old school. His closest friend is John C. Sheehan.

For nearly a year Miss Barnes, as she now prefers to be called, and Mr. Livingston have been great friends. They have been much in each other's company in this city and at Rancocas. Last summer she entertained him at Rancocas and during that time his face became familiar to residents of Jobstown, N. J. During the visit he had the mishap of slipping and spraining his ankle while stepping out of a bathtub, and for several weeks he was a cripple, amid luxurious surroundings.

Often Seen Together.

After her sensational pilgrimage to Saratoga Mrs. Allen returned to this city, and she has been seen often at the theatres and in Broadway restaurants with Mr. Livingston. On the Saturday after Thanksgiving Day Mrs. Allen, her secretary and companion, Miss Marguerite Oliver, and Mr. Livingston went to Rancocas and remained until last Tuesday.

Mrs. Allen likes Rancocas. She does not find it lonely despite the indifference of her wealthy neighbors to her presence. She finds her enjoyment in playing Lady Bountiful to the day at the village and surrounding country-side. There is no question about her popularity in the many humble homes where her advent has brought relief from sickness and other forms of distress.

Just now she is planning a big Christmas tree for the work-people of Rancocas who have remained with her and for the poor of the village. There will be a great Christmas-tree and distribution of gifts, and then the rink at Jobstown will be used for a dance. The people of the country-side are wondering whether Mr. Livingston will be at Rancocas to act as Santa Claus at the Christmas entertainment.

PLUMB DIES OF POISON.

Took Carbolic Acid and Was Found Unconscious.

Henry Plumb, who took carbolic acid in his room at Mrs. Mary Scully's apartments, No. 1009 Second avenue, Monday night, died early to-day at the Flower Hospital, where he was taken after being found unconscious.

There is considerable mystery about the case and the police of the Fifty-first street station have started an investigation. Mrs. Scully declines to discuss it. She says she knows nothing about the man. He came to her house and read the room, she says, and she saw little of him.

GLASS OF WATER

Upset Her.

People that don't know about food should never be allowed to feed persons with weak stomachs.

A little over a year ago a young woman who lives in Mercer, Me., had an attack of scarlet fever, and when convalescent was permitted to eat anything she wanted. Indiscriminate feeding soon put her back in bed with severe stomach trouble and inflammation of the kidneys.

"There I stayed," she says, "three months, with my stomach in such condition that I could take only a few teaspoonfuls of milk or beef juice at a time. Finally Grape-Nuts was brought to my attention and I asked my doctor if I might eat it. He said 'yes,' and I commenced at once."

"The food did me good from the start and I was soon out of bed and entirely recovered from the stomach trouble. I have gained ten pounds since my recovery and am able to do all household duties, some days sitting down only long enough to eat my meals. I can eat anything that I ought to eat, but I still continue to eat Grape-Nuts at breakfast and supper and like it better every day."

"Considering that a year ago I could stand only a short time and that a glass of water seemed 'so heavy,' I am fully satisfied that Grape-Nuts has been everything to me and my return to good health is due solely to it."

"I have told several friends having nervous or stomach trouble what Grape-Nuts did for me, and in every case they speak highly of the food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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15.00—Men's all-wool Overcoats, tan, covert and Oxford, all the up-to-date shades, some all-satin lined..... 7.50

20.00—Men's all-wool Overcoats, imported covert, vicuna, melton, kersey, beaver and Irish fringes, some satin and plaid wool lined..... 10.00

20.00—Men's all-wool Overcoats, imported kersey, melton, beaver, Irish fringes, some satin and plaid wool lined, black, blue and Oxford..... 15.00

20.00—Imported Cravette Ralp Coat, gray and tan, lined sleeves, satin shoulders..... 10.00

Fall and Winter Suits.

10.00—Men's Sack Suits, all wool, Scotch, fancy worked and black chevrot..... 5.00

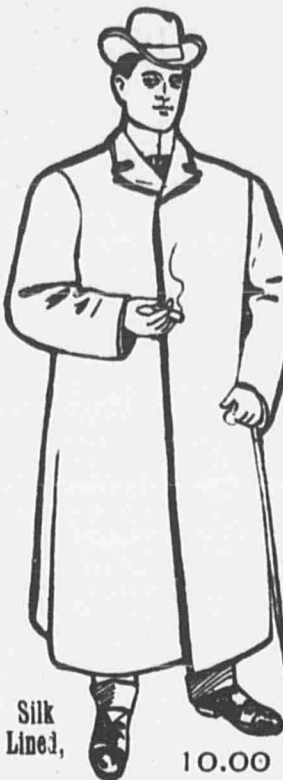
15.00—Men's Sack Suits, all wool and fancy worked stripes, plaid, blue royal, ribbed and black Clay..... 7.50

20.00—Men's Sack Suits, all made from imported woolsens, blue and English Clay, ribbed and vicuna stripe and plaid worked..... 10.00

Also English Melton, full satin lined..... 7.50

15.00—Men's Coats and Vests, English Clay, full satin lined and tailored up-to-date style..... 7.50

30.00—Men's Imported black vicuna and Tubet and West of England Clay, full satin lined, Prince Albert Coats and Vests..... 15.00



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Cuckoo Clocks in Richly Carved Designs



Price, \$12.00

All the year round the LAMBERT STORE presents the largest assortment of richly carved wood Cuckoo Clocks to be found in New York. It finds a ready sale for them because of the decided advantage in price offered. The individual clock shown here is 23 1/2 inches high and has genuine brass works, which differentiates it from the cheaper variety of Cuckoo Clocks encountered in many stores. Cuckoo Clock catalogue may be had for the asking. They range in price from \$3.75 to \$50.00.

Twined Snake Ring With Rubies and Diamonds



Price \$60.00.

Few ring designs have enjoyed the continued popularity which has attached to the Snake Ring. It still shares honors with the Signet Ring for gentlemen. This one has a fine diamond sunk in one head, and a fine ruby in the other head, with rubies set in the eyes. The mounting is hand made, solid 14 Karat gold.

Diamond Rings With Taper Band Mountings



Price, \$15.00.

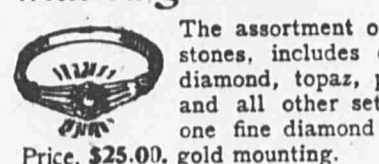
Between the English Setting and the Belcher Ring, the Taper Band Diamond Ring presents a style which displays the stone to splendid advantage and does not interfere with a glove. The top ring has a medium size, fine diamond, imported by the LAMBERT STORE, and a 14 karat solid gold mounting.



Price, \$25.00.

The second ring has a stone enough larger to be noticeable, of the same quality and cutting. The hand-made mounting is also of 14 karat solid gold. Rings of this design of all sizes of specially imported stones.

Fancy Diamond Ring With Single Stone



Price, \$25.00.

The assortment of fancy rings, set with precious stones, includes every pattern imaginable, with diamond, topaz, pearl, turquoise, ruby, emerald and all other settings. The design shown has one fine diamond and solid 14 karat hand-made gold mounting.

English Ring with Three Matched Diamonds



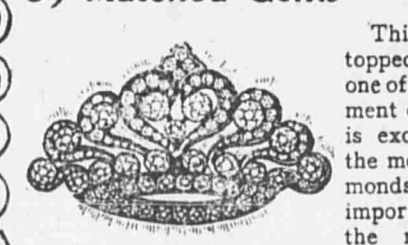
Price, \$135.

Technical knowledge of diamonds is necessary to properly select and match them. Many jewellers, even with the honorable desire to offer only the best goods, have to depend on others for this work. The LAMBERT experts are among the best in the America. This English Ring is of solid 14-karat gold, hand-made mounting, with three finely selected and well matched diamonds. The price is strictly an importer's price.

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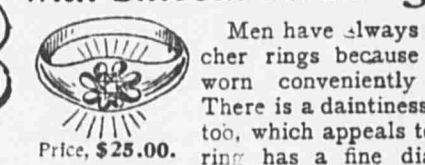
Diamond Brooch With 89 Matched Gems



Price, \$350.00.

This fine Platina topped crown is only one of our large assortment of Brooches. It is excellent value for the money. The diamonds are quoted at importers' prices, and the mounting is of hand-made solid 14 karat gold. The price is \$350.00.

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Price, \$25.00.

Men have always preferred Belcher rings because they may be worn conveniently with gloves. There is a daintiness to the setting, too, which appeals to women. This ring has a fine diamond of fair size, and the mounting is 14 karat solid gold, hand made.

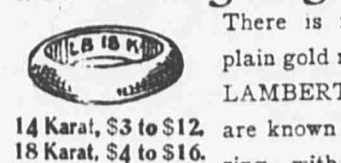
Lambert Solitaire Ring With Large Diamond



Price, \$200.00.

In presenting an unusually brilliant display of LAMBERT Solitaires it should be retold that this house imports its diamonds direct from the European markets, paying no importers' nor wholesalers' profits. This is positively the only way the best diamonds may be sold at prices lower than may be obtained elsewhere. The diamond in this ring is of extraordinarily good quality and the mounting the best hand-made solid 14 karat gold.

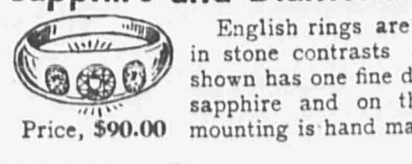
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Price, \$90.00.

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